

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Applicants respectfully submit that the Examiner's concerns regarding the specification are addressed below. Applicants submit that the following substitute paragraphs contain no new matter.

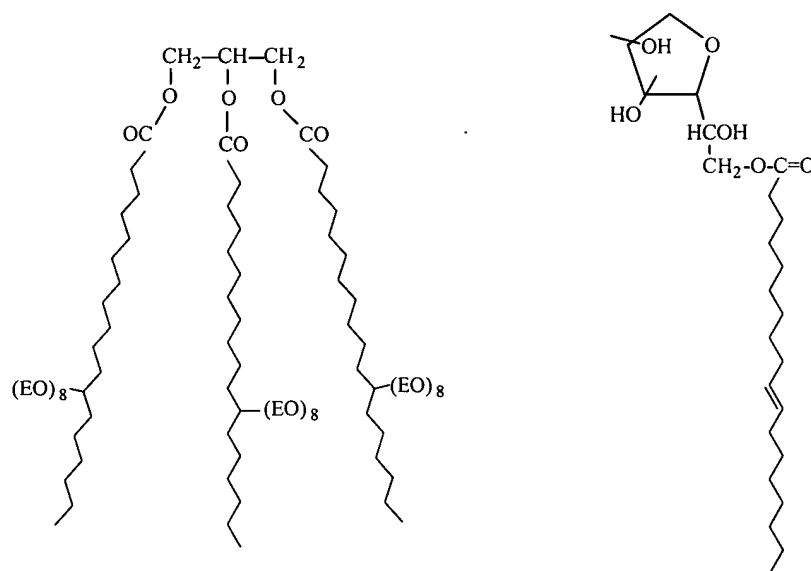
Please replace the paragraph on page 1, line 7 with the following paragraph:

This application is related to commonly assigned U.S. Patent Application Serial No. [___/_____] 10/746,743, entitled "TREATED NONWOVEN MATERIAL" filed by Express Mail Procedure EL 439721075 US contemporaneously herewith and which is hereby incorporated by reference herein.

Please replace the paragraph on page 12, line 8 with the following

paragraph:

Another suggested ~~surfacantat~~ surfactant is a mixture of a hydrogenated, ethoxylated castor oil and sorbitan monooleate. A suggested example of a commercially available example of a mixture of a hydrogenated, ethoxylated castor oil and sorbitan monooleate includes, but is not limited to, a surfactant mixture sold under



the tradename AHCOVEL Base N-62. AHCOVEL Base N-62 (also referred to simply as "AHCOVEL") is a blend of a hydrogenated, ethoxylated castor oil and sorbitan monooleate that is provided in about a mixture of about a 1:1 ratio (more specifically 55 percent sorbitan monooleate and 45 percent hydrogenated, ethoxylated castor oil). AHCOVEL Base N-62 can be obtained from Uniqema a division of ICI having offices in New Castle, Delaware.